



REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The Office Action addresses claims 1-14. However, these claims were canceled in the Preliminary Amendment filed on July 26, 2004. Claims 15-31 were added in that Preliminary Amendment.

The undersigned telephoned Examiner Amini to inform him that the Office Action addresses canceled claims 1-14, rather than new claims 15-31. Examiner Amini indicated that the computer system at the United States Patent and Trademark Office had the wrong set of claims. Examiner Amini requested that we point out this error in a written response, and indicated that he would send a non-final second Office Action to claims 15-31.

In view of the foregoing, the applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner issue a new, non-final, Office Action or Notice of Allowance with respect to the pending claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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